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SUBJECT: Army Corps of Engineers Public Notice #199915203-JLB for the Former  
Campbell Shipyard Site Sediment Remediation Aquatic Enhancement Project

Dear Mr. Burnam:

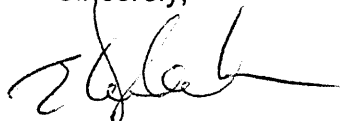
The Port of San Diego (Port) would like to revise the scope of work for the former Campbell Shipyard Site Sediment Remediation Aquatic Enhancement Project. The proposed revision includes the expansion of the proposed habitat cap in order to allow for additional eelgrass planting at the site. The scope of work is being revised a second time due to an eelgrass survey performed in June 2004 that showed an increase of eelgrass of up to 1.02 acres from the last survey done in October 2002 indicating 0.37 acres. In order to compensate for this additional eelgrass acreage, an increase to the habitat cap area from 1.0 acre to 1.6 acres will be required.

The 0.6 acre increase in the habitat cap will require the quantities of capping and rock armoring material to be increased. The engineered sand cap layer will increase to 46,000 tons, the sand habitat will be increased to 16,000 tons, the gravel material for the engineered cap will increase to 33,000 tons, armor rock for the engineered cap will increase to 60,000 tons, revetment rock including the rock berm will increase to 21,000 tons, and the dumped rock foundation will increase to 27,000 tons.

Enclosed you will find an updated Environmental Assessment 404(b)(1) Evaluation Public Interest Review and a revised permit.

The Port appreciates your assistance with permitting this difficult project. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 619-686-6254.

Sincerely,



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